

I am commenting on the Qwest petition to disallow access to independent ISP's. I am aware that the deadline has passed but since I just read about this, I am sending it anyway.

Qwest and Comcast both provide both Ethernet access and an ISP in my neighborhood. Fortunately for me, they are forced to allow me to use my own choice of ISP. The service from Qwest is terrible. They are slow to respond and quick to point to someone or something else as the problem. They never take responsibility for problems, even when all the evidence points to their service as the source. Comcast has an equally stellar reputation. Also, neither of them offer an ISP choice that I can use to work at home. As it is now, I have to pay extra for the privilege of having a non Qwest ISP. The access to the Internet ought to be universal. Don't allow Qwest to monopolize the ethernet access.